

Sal logs seized



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Security forces belonging to Police and CRPF Cobra team seized a truck carrying illegal Sal logs from Alangi area under Kokrajgar police station of Kokrajhar district today.

The truck bearing registration number AS-01A 7434 carrying Sal logs was on way to Kalgachia in Barpeta from Athiabari in Kokrajhar district when it was seized by the joint team.

Four persons were arrested along with the truck. They have been identified as Mohd Sukur Ali, Ismail Ali of Sorbhog Jamadarguri, Barpeta, Binamin Rabha and Dhananjay Rabha, both of Serfanguri Prem Nagar, Kokrajhar.

A senior forest official in Haltugaon Division said the sal worth around [10](#) lakhs rupees in market.

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KOKRAJHAR, September 22, 2026 — The All Bodo Students' Union (ABSU) on Tuesday burnt copies of a book titled *Hamkoshar Parishista* during protests held at several locations across Assam, including Gauhati University, objecting to what it described as the use of the Assamese script to represent the Bodo language.

Hamkoshar Parishista is a multilingual appendix containing learning resources for indigenous languages of Assam, including Bodo, Rabha, Mising and Karbi.

During the protests, ABSU members alleged that Bodo has been represented in the publication using the Assamese script instead of Devanagari, the script used for Bodo.

The organisation asserted that Bodo is recognised under the Eighth Schedule of the Constitution of India and is an Associate Official Language of Assam. ABSU demanded that Bodo be represented in its recognised script in educational and learning resources.

ABSU president Khwrmmdao Wary said the use of the Assamese script to represent Bodo in the publication was disrespectful to the Bodo language and literature.

He said Bodo is an Associate Official Language of Assam and a language recognised under the Eighth Schedule of the Constitution.

Wary demanded the immediate withdrawal of the publication in its present form and called for the use of the Devanagari script for Bodo in the book.



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